

PATENT

**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Philippe BOYER et al. Conf. 5149

Application No. 10/520,916 Group 3732

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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR SELECTING SHADE OF A COLOUR CODING RING

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents September 12, 2008  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated May 12, 2008, the period for response having been extended for one month to September 12, 2008 by Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein respectfully provide the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.